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In re the Application of: **INUI, Masahiro, et al.**

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Serial No.: **10/534,016**

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For. **CRACKING TUBE HAVING HELICAL FINS**

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Commissioner for Patents
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Date: August 21, 2008

Sir:

Applicants petition the Commissioner for Patents to extend the time for response to the Office Action dated April 21, 2008 for one month, from July 21, 2008 to August 21, 2008.

Attached please find a check in the amount of \$120.00 to cover the cost of the extension for a large entity. In the event that any additional fees are due in connection with this paper, please charge our Deposit Account No. 01-2340.

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